

BRAINERD DAILY DISPATCH.

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BRAINERD, MINN., WEDNESDAY, MAY 17, 1905.

PRICE TWO CENTS

BANE'S



'I Want to Ask

your wife, neighbor, where she gets that fine coffee we had for supper. It's the best I've drank in many a day. I want Martha to get some just like it."

"Well, Deacon, I can tell you that. It's some of a new lot they've just got in down to BANE's grocery store. They call it

Home Brand Mocha and Java

and they charged me but 40c a pound for it."

"Well, that's a great grocery store, sure as you're living, neighbor. About everything that comes from there seems to be better than you get at any other store. And folks are getting onto this fact, too, I guess, for it 'pears to me as though everybody on our street was trading there. But, sure as shooting, I'm going down there first thing tomorrow for some of that coffee, and some of those fine new vegetables and fruits, lettuce, radishes, onions, pie plant, asparagus, spinach and cucumbers. Everything fresh and clean."

Meat Market

Prime rib roasts, steer beef, fine porter house and loin steaks, legs of spring lamb, chickens, homemade sausages. Valuable free coupons with all cash sales. Ask for them.

BANE'S

Busy Store

HYDE EXPLAINS TRANSACTIONS.
Tells of Business Dealings of His Syndicate.

New York, May 17.—In testimony before the Erick committee, which is investigating the alleged mismanagement of the Equitable Life Assurance society, James H. Hyde, vice president, during the day explained all the business transactions of the syndicate. "James H. Hyde and associates." His testimony showed that, although the Equitable had bought \$12,000,000 of the bonds underwritten by the syndicate, it had bought not one bond from James H. Hyde and associates.

From the examination of Mr. Hyde and the transcripts of records the committee has learned that there were eight syndicates in which J. H. Hyde and his associates were considered as only one of an average of 110 underwriters. The total amount was about \$300,000,000. The bonds were all heavily over-subscribed. In no case was there a single bond allotted to any of the underwriters, it was said, so whatever securities came into possession of the Equitable were purchased in open market or acquired in regular subscription fashion.

SUSPECTS UNDER ARREST.

Alleged Ringleaders of Bank Robbers Captured.

New York, May 17.—Detectives during the day arrested two men and a woman, who they allege were the ringleaders of a gang that recently robbed the private bank of E. C. Brewer in Gilbertsville, N. Y., of about \$10,000. The detectives also captured what is said to be the most elaborate set of bank burglars' tools ever taken to police headquarters.

The robbery occurred early on the morning of May 2. The residents of the town, roused by the blowing open of the safe, attempted to stop the burglars, but were fought off. The telephone and telephones were cut and the robbers made good their escape.

The prisoners gave their names as Edward Watson, thirty-one years old, a musician, who the police say has the alias of Wilson; Mabel Watson, twenty-one years old, supposed to be his wife, and John Mullin, twenty-five years old. All three were arrested in a house in West Forty-ninth street.

THE REPORT IS DENIED

RUMORED OCCUPATION OF HAICHOU BY GERMANS SAID TO BE UNFOUNDED.

MERELY TAKING SOUNDINGS

GUNBOATS EXPLORING WATERS FOR BENEFIT OF PASSENGER STEAMERS.

London, May 17.—The correspondent at Tsingtau of the Daily Telegraph, denying the reported German occupation of Haichou, says the truth is that the firm of Diederichsen & Jensen is now running regular steamers from Tsingtau to Haichou and as these are strange waters German gunboats are taking soundings.

Tokio, May 17.—It is semi-officially announced that the Japanese government has received conflicting reports relating to the Haichou incident, one being to the effect that the Germans occupied the place and raised and saluted their flag and another to the effect that the Germans were merely engaged in surveying. Pending the receipt of full and correct information the government here refrains from discussing the matter.

WILL GO TO THE FAR EAST.

Another Division of Russian Navy Is Ready to Reinforce Rojstevsky.

St. Petersburg, May 17.—The naval game in the Far East is watched with intense interest, but the admiralty is able to throw but little light on the situation. It gives no confirmation of the Tokio report that Admiral Rojstevsky returned to Honko bay. The Russian admiral is keeping his movements and plans secret, not communicating even with the home authorities.

Many naval men incline to the opinion that Rojstevsky will pass out of the China sea into the Pacific through the Ballintang channel, north of the island of Luzon, Philippine islands, and give Formosa a wide berth instead of sailing through the 200-mile stretch of the straits of Formosa, in which the Russians might be subject to a torpedo boat attack.

Another division of reinforcements for Rojstevsky is almost ready at Cronstadt and will be sent out under the command of Rear Admiral Parnago. It will consist of two fine new battleships, the Slava and the Emperor Alexander II., two cruisers, a torpedo cruiser, a gunboat, a transport and several minor units.

GOVERNOR WOUNDED

SHOT IN THE PUBLIC GARDEN AT UFA.

RUSSIAN OFFICIAL IS FATALLY

Ufa, Russia, May 17.—Major General Sokolovsky, governor general of the province of Ufa, was fired at several times and seriously wounded during the day in the public garden during an entertainment. His assailant disappeared. General Sokolovsky's life is despaired of. Vice Governor Bogdanovitch has taken over the administration of the province.

SECOND CRIME IN TWO YEARS.

Predecessor of Governor Sokolovsky Assassinated in 1903.

St. Petersburg, May 17.—The shooting of Major General Sokolovsky, governor of Ufa, is the second crime of this nature which has occurred at Ufa within two years, his predecessor, General Bogdanovitch, having been assassinated in the streets of Ufa on May 19, 1903.

General Sokolovsky, who, as vice governor of Orenburg and later as military governor of the same province, acquired a reputation as a stern and vigorous official, was appointed to restore order in the turbulent government of Ufa and adopted a repressive policy, which long ago caused him to be marked for the same fate as Bogdanovitch. Numerous revolutionary societies were broken up by General Sokolovsky and manifestations were not permitted under his administration. The last acts of the governor general were the dispersal of an anti-government club and the suppression of the May day demonstrations with the arrest of many demonstrators.

OWING TO ADVANCE OF JAPS.

Russian Forces at Possiet Bay Reported to Have Been Reinforced.

London, May 17.—The Daily Telegraph's correspondent at Tokio reports the reinforcement of the Russian forces at Possiet bay "owing to the advance of the Japanese army." The same correspondent says that

on May 6 Japan sent a third strongly worded protest to France on the neutrality question.

Police Shoot Down Rioters.

Warsaw, May 17.—There were disturbances in the Jewish quarter during the evening. Police were attacked by a mob and forced to take refuge in the market hall, from which they killed one and wounded another of the rioters.

FOR MURDER OF BLACKSHIRE.

His Widow, a Neighbor and Another Man Arrested.

Parkersburg, W. Va., May 17.—On May 3 at midnight masked men entered the home of Henry Blackshire at Brookville and shot him dead in the presence of his wife and son. Mrs. Blackshire is now in the Calhoun county jail. Her neighbor, Robert McCloskey, is in the same prison, and Louis Hendricks is in the Parkersburg jail—all charged with complicity in the murder. The arrest of Mrs. Blackshire during the day was brought about by the statement of Hendricks. He said he was at McCloskey's home several days before the murder and heard Mrs. Blackshire offer McCloskey money to kill her husband and said that if he refused to do so she would get someone else to do it. He says that he told Mrs. Blackshire after the murder what he had heard and she offered him \$100 as soon as she had collected her husband's life insurance if he would leave town. He and McCloskey left together the day after the murder and remained near Parkersburg until McCloskey returned to Blackville on Sunday to get his pay and while there he was placed in jail. During their absence Mrs. Blackshire attempted to collect the insurance, amounting to \$1,000.

Public sentiment threatens lynching. McCloskey admits having been present at the time of the murder and also says Mrs. Blackshire wanted her husband out of the way, but charges Hendricks with the murder.

WILL APPEAR ON THE STAGE.

Miss Nan Patterson Said to Have Signed a Contract.

Philadelphia, May 17.—The Inquirer says that Nan Patterson was in this city Tuesday and signed a contract to appear on the stage of the Harlem Music hall, New York, at a salary of \$2,000 a week. It is said she arrived here in the afternoon and returned to Washington immediately after the negotiations had been closed. Miss Patterson, it is understood, was represented by Attorney Daniel J. O'Reilly. According to the Inquirer, she is to appear in an act at the head of six other chorus girls. The length of the engagement is not known.

BOTH FOUND GUILTY

KOLB AND HAMMON CONVICTED OF THIRD DEGREE MURDER AT ANOKA, MINN.

Anoka, Minn., May 17.—The Columbia Heights hold-up trio, convicted of the brutal murder of little Freddie King in the Mingo saloon, which they robbed on the night of Nov. 22 last, were sentenced during the afternoon, and will be taken to the state's prison at Stillwater to serve—Kaldewit for life and Hammon and Kolb each for thirty years, the maximum penalties for second and third degree murder, respectively, of which the men were convicted.

Kaldewit, witnesses said, fired the shot that killed the King boy. His "pals," Kolb and Hammon, are given the lighter penalty of accomplices.

Promptly at 9 a. m. Judge Giddings began his charge to the jury, and by 9:50 o'clock that body had retired to its room to decide the fate of Hammon and Kolb. At 4:50 o'clock the jurors summoned a deputy and announced that they required further instructions. They were brought into court and received instructions on points of law for which they asked. They then retired and in about twenty minutes returned with a verdict pronouncing Kolb and Hammon guilty of murder in the third degree.

After a ten minutes' recess the three defendants were brought before the court for sentence, and after the usual questions, were given the opportunity to speak before sentence was pronounced. All three claimed to be innocent.

Judge Giddings then proceeded to impose sentence, as stated above.

All in Favor of Vaccination.

Washington, May 17.—"Vaccination is the only true and practical preventive of smallpox." This belief was unanimously expressed at the day's session of the conference of state and provincial health boards of the United States.

Steamer Sunk in Collision.

Detroit, May 17.—A special to the Free Press says: The steamer Thomas W. Palmer was sunk during the day in a collision with the steamer Harvard off Stannard Rock in Lake Superior. No lives were lost.

H. F. MICHAEL CO'S Daily Store News

This Time It Is a Lace Curtain Sale.

YOU have doubtless learned what a sale means when we advertise it. This sale will not fall below in any way. We have lace curtains to sell and are willing to dispose of them at a price much below the regular price. If you can use a few lace curtains read the items carefully and allow us to show you your kind. THESE CURTAINS MUST SELL. WHY NOT PROFIT BY THIS SALE

Ruffled Curtains.

Large Curtains with hemstitched ruffles—neatly tucked—75c quality—our sale price the pair..... **59c**
Swiss Curtains made with a wide hemstitched ruffle—neatly made in every particular—\$1.25 quality at..... **\$1.09**
Madras Curtains with a pretty ruffle and a neat border—neatly made in every particular—\$1.25 quality at..... **\$1.29**
Fine Swiss Curtains made up with neat lace and insertion—good values at \$2.35—on sale at..... **\$1.98**

Arabian Curtains.

Very Pretty Curtains—plain center with very fetching border—large size too—sale price the pair..... **\$1.98**
3 1-3 yard Curtains—with a heavy cord in the border which is now so popular—sold at \$3.50 sale price..... **\$2.98**
\$5.00 Curtains—this curtain is heavy and embodies the best style shown today—our sale price..... **\$4.25**
Heavy Corded Curtains—it is a style particularly desirable, at \$7.50 the regular price it is a good value—now..... **\$6.48**

Nottingham Curtains

2 1/2 yard long curtains—33 1/4 inches wide—very neat patterns—50c our price—during this sale..... **48c**
Large Curtains—patterns the neatest and a quality for wear—at \$1.00 they are splendid—sale price..... **89c**
Another Large Curtain—you would call it a bargain at \$1.50—during this sale we will offer them at..... **\$1.39**
3 1/2 yard curtains—full 40 inches wide—pattern exceptionally desirable—\$2.50 has been our price—sale price..... **\$1.98**

Point de Lux, Renaissance

For Bedrooms—nothing is neater for the bedroom than a Renaissance curtain—serviceable too—\$3.75 kind at..... **\$3.19**
Pretty Renaissance curtains with very neat lace and insertion—\$5.50 is a most reasonable price—sale price..... **\$4.48**
Point de Lux—a very neat parlor curtain in cream colored curtain—most excellent value at \$5.50—sale price..... **\$4.48**
Point de Lux curtain in a very wide width—edges are very handsome—on sale this week at but..... **\$6.75**

Bonne Femme, Brussels Net, etc.

We have some decidedly novel things in fancy curtains which we shall offer at a very reasonable price during the next three days. Come in with your curtain wants and allow us to quote you prices on what we have. We have lace curtains which we shall sell. Secure what you want at our sale prices.

STRIKE SOON TO END

LABOR TROUBLE IN CHICAGO EXPECTED TO BE TERMINATED IN A SHORT TIME.

SEVERAL REASONS THEREFOR

FIRST AMONG THEM IS MAYOR'S DECISION TO CALL TROOPS IF STRIKE SPREADS.

Chicago, May 17.—That the present strike will be called off probably within forty-eight hours and certainly by the end of the week is the assertion now made both by members of employers' association and the conservative element in the ranks of the teamsters.

Chief among the causes which led to this prediction are, first the firm stand taken by Mayor Dunne, when in conference with President Shea and officials of the local teamsters' union, he assured them that any further spread of the strike would certainly make it necessary for him to call for troops, and second, the hopeful view of the situation taken by President Samuel Gompers of the American Federation of Labor. President Gompers said:

"I certainly shall do all in my power to end the strike, and I have great hopes of success."

President Gompers arrived in this city at night. Immediately after leaving his train President Gompers went into conference with President Shea and local officials of the teamsters' union. This conference lasted until a late hour at night.

After leaving the meeting of the labor leaders, President Gompers met a number of the teamowners who have stood by the unions for the great part of the strike. They informed him that the time had come when they could no longer refuse to deliver and take goods from the boycotted houses without facing financial ruin.

It is said on good authority that Mr. Gompers will suggest to the teamsters that they allow the teamowners to do business with the boycotted houses. It is expected that the teamsters will accept this proposition, and in this manner the strike will be called off.

Increase Scope of Delivery.

The employers' association and the express companies increased their scope of delivery still further during the day. Something over 2,000 wagons were in use and business for the most

part was transacted without hindrance of any kind. The merchants and department stores are confident that they will be able to extend their operations still further during the day and have at least 2,300 wagons in full service. Three hundred and fifty men were brought into the city during the day to take the places of strikers and as many more are expected soon.

At the hearing before Master in Chancery Sherman, where evidence is being taken relative to the federal injunctions issued against the strikers, F. W. Buckmaster, superintendent of a private detective agency, cited fully two dozen instances where assaults had been committed on nonunion men and the federal injunction violated. He gave names and localities and asserted the majority of the rioters were wearing the buttons of the teamsters' union. The attorneys for the defendants made vigorous objection to the admission of his testimony, but the master allowed it to go in.

Claud M. Boster, manager of the tailors' division of the Montgomery Ward & Co. told at length of the troubles leading up to the strike of the garment workers, which was the prelude to the sympathetic walk-out of the teamsters.

The strike was called, he said, because Ward & Co. insisted on sending part of their work to "open shops."

At a meeting of the board of education held in the evening warrants were sworn out for eight boys who have been leaders in the recent strikes at the schools in sympathy with the strike of the teamsters.

A Chronic Cough will Develop

into serious lung trouble. The throat is irritated and pneumonia, bronchitis, asthma, or, consumption is bound to follow. Use Gloria Lung Balm and the danger is banished. Best for children. Sold by H. P. Dunn & Co. mwf1m

FAILED TO ESTABLISH MOTIVE.

Prosecution Rests in Murder Trial of George Wood.

Somerville, N. J., May 17.—The prosecution in the trial of George Wood for the murder of J. Williams, the grocer of Wachtung, rested during the day. The prosecution failed to establish a motive for the crime. Judge Garretson refused to admit the testimony of a witness which was intended to show that the murder was committed for the sake of robbery.

Counsel for the defense in his opening address declared that Wood was insane and that he was possessed of a "familiar" or apparition, whom he knew as Henry Wolff and appeared to be his half-brother. This flimsy of his disordered mind constantly pursued Wood, rendering his life miserable. Wood, his counsel declared, suffered a strange mental lapse from Jan. 30 to Feb. 5, two days after the murder, of which period he retained no recollection.

The wife of the prisoner told of many eccentric actions on the part of Wood, who, she said, was subjected to "spells," on recovering from which he was unable to recognize his relatives. He had suffered one of these at the time of the murder.

Iowa Veterans in Session.

Oskaloosa, Ia., May 17.—The thirty-first annual encampment of the Iowa department, Grand Army of the Republic, opened here during the day. Governor Cummins welcomed the veterans. Addresses were made by Major J. B. Weaver and General A. B. Terrence.

Rosen's Appointment Signed.

St. Petersburg, May 17.—Emperor Nicholas has signed the appointment of Baron Rosen to be ambassador of Russia to the United States.

Have you a picture to frame? See D. M. Clark & Co. 241tf

Removed

Frank Ponth has moved his Upholstering Establishment to

305 6th Street South

where he will be pleased to greet all customers.

Upholstering and repairing of all kinds done.

Carpets taken up, Cleaned and re-laid.

McGinn & Smith's CASH - STORE For Cheap Meats and Groceries

Two reasons why we can Sell Cheap.

- 1st. For the reason that we sell for cash, and by doing so we have no loss of bad accounts.
- 2nd. Because we have discontinued soliciting orders which means a saving of \$75.00 a month or \$900.00 a year, which we aim to give our customers the benefit of as follows:

GROCERIES.	MEATS.
Dried peaches per lb 12c	Prime beef roasts : 10c
Prunes per lb : 5c	Beef stew : 4c
Raisins per lb : 5c	Hamburger steak : 7c
Rice per lb : 4c	Pork sausage 9c 3 lbs 25c
12 lbs rolled oats : 25c	
3 lb can tomatoes : 9c	Veal, Mutton, Pork and Chickens
Pint bottle bluing : 5c	
Sauerkraut per qt : 5c	
" " gal : 15c	

Electric Globes and Supplies.

McGinn & Smith.

Call 76.

219 6th St. S.

THE DAILY DISPATCH.

BY INGERSOLL & WIELAND.

E. C. GRIFFITH, City Editor.

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SUBSCRIPTION RATES.

One Week Ten Cents
One Month Forty Cents
One Year Four Dollars

WEDNESDAY MAY 17, 1905.

Weather

Forecast—Generally fair and warmer.

Temperature (Record kept by Dr. J. L. Camp for 45 hours ending at 3 o'clock this afternoon)—Maximum 62 above zero; minimum 38 above zero.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES.

J. L. Berg, of Fort Ripley, was a Brainerd visitor yesterday.

Bert Finn returned this noon from a trip to the twin cities.

C. R. Skillings, of Bay Lake, was in the city on business today.

J. W. Bailey, of Backus, was in the city for short time this noon.

H. Ray Palmer came up from Little Falls on No. 5 this afternoon.

F. A. Farrar and C. M. Patek returned this morning from St. Paul.

Prof. Gleason, the blind piano tuner, arrived in the city this afternoon.

Master Mechanic J. E. Goodman, of Duluth, is in the city today on business.

Mrs. E. Mowers, of Red Wing, is in the city the guest of Mrs. F. W. Wieland.

County Commissioner F. J. Reid, of Ft. Ripley, is in the city in attendance at court.

P. H. McGarry came down from the north this noon and is stopping at the Ransford.

Would You Believe It!

There are people in this city that do not know that we sell.....

JAP-A-LAC

Please tell everybody about it and also tell them that there is nothing else just as good. We also sell the celebrated

Sun Proof Paint

Guaranteed for 5 years

This is the only store in the city that we know of that sells INDELIBLE, the paint that has been on buildings in Brainerd for two years and looks as good as ever, for 20 cents per gallon.

A. L. HOFFMAN & CO.,

Furniture, Hardware and Bicycle Dealers



Delegates from each of the five counties composing the district will be in attendance. A lecture by one of the best speakers in the state and a medal contest by eight young ladies will be the special features of the two evenings. The local W. C. T. U. makes special request that these dates be given to the convention and other courtesies extended by the people of our city which have been shown by us on former interesting occasions.

C. T. Gleason, of St. Paul, piano tuner, is in Brainerd on his regular trip, will be here about three weeks and can be found at the National Hotel. 295tf

Foley's Kidney Cure is a medicine free from poisons and will cure any case of kidney disease that is not beyond the reach of medicine. H. P. Dunn & Co. mfwlm

MISSION.

C. Robins is sick with the measles.

Mrs. Finn is on the sick list this week.

Miss M. Scaller went to Brainerd Friday.

P. Ames went to Edden Valley this week.

A. F. Lively is laid up this week with a sore hand.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Waters Saturday, a girl.

F. Dayton brought a raft of logs to the mill Saturday.

E. Flanders cut his foot Friday while clearing some land.

Pine River has overflowed its banks during this rainy spell.

R. Jordan went to Brainerd Friday and returned Saturday.

The Colonization land agent passed through here Wednesday.

The Malmum steamboat was up here Sunday and made us a call.

C. C. Water's mother is here on a visit and to see her new granddaughter.

G. Adcock went to Brainerd Tuesday and returned Wednesday on the stage.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Kinball a girl Wednesday. All are getting along nicely.

H. Drake went to Brainerd Saturday and came home Sunday by the way of Deerwood.

J. W. Welton and friend were down from Pine Knoll Friday and returned home Saturday.

W. E. Lively came home Wednesday and returned to town Thursday with some more rafts.

One of Dr. Camp's driving horses was hurt quite badly Sunday by running a stick in her stomach.

Mrs. G. Adcock came down from the homestead Monday to see her husband. She says they are nearly drowned out up there since these heavy rains, the land being rather low.

Indian Ben came down with his children from his home seven miles up the Mississippi river in a canoe and is going up Pine River to be ready for the summer hunt and pick berries.

R. C. J.

One of the best European Hotels in St. Paul—The Boardman. Try it.

Some of the noblest photographs ever on display in Brainerd can be seen in Opsahl's show cases on 7th St. 292tf

HAPPY WOMEN

Plenty of Them in Brainerd, and Good Reason for it.

Wouldn't any woman be happy. After years of backache suffering; Days of misery, nights of unrest, The distress of urinary troubles, She finds relief and cure? No reason why any Brainerd reader Should suffer in the face of evidence like this:

Mrs. J. H. Zellers, of 915 Main St., Brainerd, Minn., says: "I believe that after what Doan's Kidney Pills did for me they will do for anyone similarly troubled. Before using them I suffered for six months from my kidneys. There was a miserable feeling of pressure over those organs and the secretions were scanty. Besides this there was a heavy pain across the small of my back. A box of Doan's Kidney Pills were gotten at a drug store and I took them with the result that they acted like a charm. I can truthfully say that I have not had a symptom since."

On October 28, 1904, six years after giving the above statement Mrs. Zellers says: "I am just as glad to recommend Doan's Kidney Pills today as I was in 1898. I have not had an attack of kidney trouble since I used Doan's Kidney Pills, and must give them credit for a permanent cure."

For sale by all druggists. Price 50 cents. Foster Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the U. S. Remember the name—Doan's—and take no substitute.

Card tables for rent at D. M. Clark & Co. 172tf

See Sherlund for bicycle repairs.

SENT NO ULTIMATUM.

Roumania Merely Asked for Satisfaction for Arrest of Inspectors.

Bucharest, May 17.—It is officially announced that Roumania has asked Turkey for satisfaction on account of the Vail of Janina arresting a number of Roumanian school inspectors in disregard of the privileges conferred upon them by the porte.

A news agency dispatch from Rome May 14 said that information had been received there that in consequence of the illegal arrest of two Roumanian subjects by Turkish officials Roumania had sent an ultimatum to the porte demanding the immediate release of the men and the recognition of Roumanian nationality. It was added that the alleged ultimatum would expire on May 23 and that the Roumanian government had informed the members of the diplomatic corps at Bucharest of the sending of the ultimatum and its conditions.

The foregoing dispatch indicates that the Roumanian communication is not in the nature of an ultimatum.

E. R. Knutsen, the piano tuner, will be at Davis' music store on Monday 22 inst. Leave orders.

Where are you sick? Headache, foul-tongue, no appetite, lack energy, pain in your stomach, constipation? Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will make you well and keep you well. 35 cents. H. P. Dunn & Co.

TO RESUME THE REINS.

King Oscar May Again Run Swedish Government.

Christiania, Norway, May 17.—The Dagblatt expresses the belief that King Oscar will resume the reins of government on June 1.

This is regarded as a semi-official intimation, and if it turns out to be correct it means, probably, that King Oscar intends to sanction the Norwegian consular bill, thus assuming direct responsibility for an act calculated to irritate his Swedish subjects rather than leave the responsibility on the shoulders of the crown prince regent.

Fine plumbing supplies at Sherlund's

Trunks, grips and harness goods at D. M. Clark & Co.'s.

The Big 9 shoe shop, 622 Laurel St., does neat repairing. Jos. Franke, Prop. 294tf

Mixed house paint, none better, price to close out, \$1.25 per gallon, at Imperial block hardware store. tf

Foley's Kidney Cure will cure all diseases arising from disordered kidneys or bladder. H. P. Dunn & Co. mfwlm

Riverside Gun Club.

The following scores were made at the last shoot of the Riverside Gun club at 25 targets:

E. Baker	..... 15
F. Walker	..... 8
F. Palmer	..... 11
Mr. F. Walker	..... 11
J. R. Smith	..... 20
I. U. White	..... 19
C. Carter	..... 6
Geo. Stine	..... 4
Russell Cass	..... 13
Pete Cardel	..... 8
A. White	..... 14
P. Wolvert	..... 16
Ray Paine	..... 8
Gus Raymond	..... 16
G. Donant	..... 8
I. C. White	..... 9
S. Gardiner	..... 1
D. L. Mann	..... 12
O. Ovig	..... 13
G. Sargent	..... 6
C. A. Walker	..... 8
Geo. Warner	..... 6
Geo. Raphadale	..... 11
W. H. Mantor	..... 4
J. A. Thabes	..... 4
H. Linneman	..... 9
J. Murphy	..... 18
J. Goedderz	..... 12
Thos. Beare	..... 9
Geo. Trent	..... 21

Opsahl's studio is always open on Sunday. 292tf

Oldest and largest installment house in city. Goods sold on easy terms. D. M. Clark & Co. 241tf

DRINK THE CAUSE OF MORE CRIME IN OUR CITY.

Another horrible tragedy in our midst, causing much excitement and bitter feeling, goes down a long line of crime in this country resulting from excessive use of liquor. The liquor habit is universally recognized by physicians as a disease. It can be cured by Orrine.

This meritorious cure is the result of over ten years' scientific research by a Washington chemist. It has been tested by physicians who pronounce it wonderful. We have made arrangements with the laboratories of the Orrine Company, Inc., Washington, D. C., to furnish Orrine to people who are desirous of being freed from this horrible disease caused by the excessive use of whiskey, beer or other alcoholic stimulants. Orrine No. 1 (in powder form) can be given secretly in tea, coffee or food without the patient's knowledge. Orrine No. 2 (in pill form) is for those who desire to be free from the craving for alcoholic stimulants. We sell Orrine at \$1 per package, and the company guarantees to cure the craving or refund every cent paid for it. We do not hesitate to recommend it to you. H. P. Dunn & Co., Central Drug Store, National Bank Block, Brainerd, Minn.

BURBANK SEED POTATOES

FOR SALE AT

CALE'S Department Store

See Them at Store

L. J. CALE

Cale Block Telephone Call 75

Front and Seventh Sts., Brainerd, Minn.

Brainerd Lumber Company

BRAINERD, MINN.

Mills and Yards at Rice Lake, East Brainerd.

We have constantly on hand a complete stock of Lumber, Lath, Shingles and Building Material. Short Lumber of all grades, and Low Grade of Dimension and boards at very low prices for Cash.

WHITE BROS. HARDWARE and SPORTING GOODS

Our store is
Our name is
And we will use you **WHITE**

If you will call on us when in need of any thing in our line, which is the most complete in the city.

Our prices are right and we warrant every piece of goods that go out of our store to be exactly as represented or money refunded.

Walker Block :-: :-: 616 Laurel Street

Best 30-inch hog fencing, closing out price now 35c per rod at Imperial block hardware store. tf

Not a cent wanted, unless you are cured. If you are sick and ailing, take Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. A great blessing to the human family. Makes you well—keeps you well. 35 cents, tea or tablets. H. P. Dunn & Co.

Make money learning watchmaking—engraving—jewelry work—optics. Largest-oldest. Position guaranteed. Write Minneapolis Watchmaking School. 1y

Just received, a car of wire and nails. Get our prices. D. M. Clark & Co. 241tf

Bicycles repaired at Sherlund's.

To The Public.

Brainerd, Minn., May 6, 1905.

TO THE PUBLIC:

I was laid up in bed from April 15 to May 1 by a fall which injured my back and side. I went to see the hospital doctors and they told me it was necessary to operate for appendicitis, but I went to see the Russian massagist and he said he could cure me with not more than four treatments of his massages and baths, which I took and am now well and at work. I can recommend him as all right.

OLE PETERSON.

Foley's Kidney Cure makes the diseased kidneys sound so they will eliminate the poisons from the blood. H. P. Dunn & Co. mfwlm

DISTRICT COURT NOW IN SESSION

Quite a Lengthy Session is Promised by Large Number of Jury Cases

JUDGE SPOONER IS PRESIDING

The Grand Jury is Charged and a Call of the Calendar is Made.

The May term of the district court convened at the county court house yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock, Judge Spooner, of Bemidji, presiding. The term promises to be a rather lengthy one as there are thirty-six civil cases on the calendar, and on the call of the calendar twenty-one of the number were listed for jury trial.

The county attorney also reports that considerable business will come before the grand jury and several indictments may be returned. The trial of these cases, it is thought, will extend the term well into June.

The first business transacted was the call of the grand jury which was instructed at some length by Judge Spooner, when it retired for deliberation.

A call of the calendar was then made with the following result:

Twenty-one cases were listed for jury trial as follows:

C. S. Kathan vs. N. P. Railway company.

Mies. Transportation Co. vs. the Co. Commissioners.

George Eschenbacher vs. John F. Bartlett.

Alex Gilmer vs. Bonnes & Co.

Ole Peterson vs. Gilmer & Welch.

A. W. McLeod vs. C. A. Allbright and R. J. Hartley.

First National Bank of Mankato vs. Lewis Alga.

Chas. W. Miller vs. Silas Lund.

O. P. Erickson vs. The Co. Commissioners.

D. L. Weller vs. the M. & I. Ry.

Stephen L. Downey vs. Adolph Lang and John H. Brunen.

Parker C. Hardy vs. Mueller Lumber Co.

H. J. Hagadorn vs. Ferdinand Roys.

Lucy Nolan vs. Anthony Nohn.

Mary Vidman vs. John Vidman.

Henry Herriel vs. John Lund and N. P. Ry. Garnishee.

F. A. Jennings vs. Gilmer & Welch.

Annie Nelson vs. Anton Anderson and N. P. Ry. Garnishee.

Emma A. Adams vs. John J. Stearns.

N. D. Seavey vs. Graham Bros. and A. Purdy, garneshee, two cases.

The last three cases have been appealed from the municipal court.

The following cases will be tried by the court:

Ada M. Oertker vs. Fredrick M. Oertker.

T. C. Welsh vs. Ernest Walson.

Amelia Peterson vs. John A. Peterson.

Minneapolis Steel and Machinery Co. vs. W. D. McKay.

Jep. Thompson vs. The Co. Commissioners.

W. D. McKay vs. O. A. Finnes and Christ Anderson.

J. S. Gardner vs. Josephine Rose.

The case of F. H. Gruenhagen vs. Mary Reimstead and C. S. Reimstead was continued by stipulation and the case of John McGuire vs. Rudolph Schulz and Emil Kuehl was continued by consent. The case of Elleng Johnson vs. the Bachelier Lumber Co., was dismissed on motion of plaintiff's attorney. The cases of Frank A. Edson vs. Peter Hedlund and Mary Hedlund defendants, and Werner Hemstead and R. J. Hartley intervenors, and Louis A. Barton vs. Nelson Jarboe and wife, were dismissed on stipulation.

The cases of Elmer E. Warren vs. Lillie Warren, and Melvin Bryant, et al.,

vs. Nelson Frey Co., are to be taken up in chambers by Judge McClenahan.

In the case of Alex Gilmer vs. Bonnes & Co., notice of a motion was given for an order allowing an inspection of documents.

A notice for a motion for judgment on the pleadings was made by the plaintiff's attorney in the case of The Minneapolis Steel and Machinery Co. vs. W. D. McKay.

In the case of Annie Nelson vs. Anton Anderson a notice of a motion was given by respondent to dismiss on the ground of a want of jurisdiction.

At the conclusion of the call of the calendar court adjourned until 10 o'clock this morning when the case of C. S. Kathan vs. the N. P. Ry. was called. On motion the case was settled and dismissed.

The above case being disposed of so quickly, no other case was ready for trial, and court adjourned until tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock.

No report has been made by the grand jury and will not be probably until court convenes in the morning.

Beautify your complexion with little cost. If you wish a smooth, clear, cream-like complexion, rosy cheeks, laughing eyes, take Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea, greatest beautifier known. 35 cents. H. P. Dunn & Co.

Resolution of Respect

Whereas in view of the loss we have sustained by the decease of our friend and associate Daniel F. McIntosh, and of the still heavier loss sustained by those who were nearest and dearest to him, therefore,

Be it Resolved, That it is but a just tribute to the memory of the departed to say that in regretting his removal from our midst, we mourn for one who was in every way worthy of our respect and regard.

Resolved, That we as members of the Brainerd Fire Department do deeply sympathize with his brothers and sisters, and extend to them our heartfelt condolence in this their great bereavement, and that we as one voice beseech the God of our friends to comfort them in their loneliness.

Resolved, That these resolutions be spread on a separate page of our Journal, that a copy be sent to the bereaved family, that a copy be sent to the secretary of the State Firemen's Association of Minnesota, of which he was a member, and a copy sent to THE BRAINERD DAILY DISPATCH for publication.

W. W. WINTER,
P. M. JOHNSON,
M. HANSEN,
Committee.

Nettleton Rents and Sells Houses.

1900 washing machine, \$10 kind, to reduce stock, now only \$8 at Imperial block hardware store.

Isn't it worth while to be safe from appendicitis? A dose of Dr. Adler's Treatment, the great appendicitis preventive. Once or twice a week will cure it. Don't put it off, get a bottle today. Johnson's Pharmacy.

Hook and Ladder Meeting.

At the annual meeting of Brainerd Hook and Ladder Co. No. 1 last evening the following officers were elected for the ensuing year, and delegates were also elected to attend the state firemen's tournament at Litchfield in June:

Foreman—C. H. Paine.

First Ass't Foreman—F. G. Hall.

Second Ass't Foreman—A. L. Hoffman.

Secretary—W. A. Spencer.

Treasurer—H. McGinn.

Delegates to State Tournament—C. A. Walker and Sam. H. Parker; alternates—C. H. Paine and A. L. Hoffman.

The foreman appointed the following finance committee—F. A. Farrar, N. H. Ingersoll, C. D. Johnson.

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CONDITION OF THE N. P. BANK

Is the One Absorbing Topic of Conversation Throughout the City Today

EXAMINER IS STILL AT WORK

On the Investigation of the Bank's Affairs--May Give Out Statement Tomorrow.

The closing of the Northern Pacific bank of this city by the public examiner yesterday for thorough investigation still continues to be the one all absorbing topic of conversation throughout the city, as all classes of citizens were depositors of the institution. So great however, is the confidence of the people in President Hemstead and the other officials that there is no panicky feeling in evidence, and all depositors accept the doctors statement of yesterday that all depositor will be paid in full, and they will only be inconvenienced by having their money held up pending the investigation by the officials. Ordinarily the temporary suspension of a bank in a city is felt by the other banks, but the matter was taken here so calmly that the business of the First National bank has been affected in no other manner than a large increase in deposits due to the suspension of business by the N. P. bank. This, of course, is due in a large measure to the well known solid and substantial character of the First National bank, but is also evidence of the confidence of the people in the solidity of the business institutions of the city generally.

Public examiner Kerst is continuing his investigation today, but stated that he had nothing new to state at present, but would probably be able to make a full statement tomorrow or surely the next day. The bank officials continue to reiterate that all claims against the bank will be paid in full and the bank will be reorganized and placed on a sounder basis than ever.

Public funds to quite a large extent were deposited in the bank. The county's balance there is between thirteen and fourteen thousand dollars, which, however, is well secured by bondsmen in the improbable event that the bank did not pay in full.

Some of the teachers in the public schools will be somewhat embarrassed by the closing of the bank. As they were paid there most of them kept their money there on deposit. As school closes in ten days those who live outside of the city will be inconvenienced by having their money tied up if the bank is not reopened by the time they leave for their homes when school closes.

Avoid serious results of kidney or bladder disorder by taking Foley's Kidney Cure. H. P. Dunn & Co. mwfwm

LOST

I received a certificate of deposit from the First National Bank of Brainerd for \$4,000 numbered 43,203, dated May 12th, 1905, due in six months. I lost it the same day I received it between the court house and said bank or on Front street. By returning said certificate of deposit to me or the First National bank, the finder will be liberally rewarded.

ELIZABETH CAMERON.

The Critical Periods In A Woman's Life

Are When the Change Comes From Childhood to Womanhood and Later When the Organs of the Pelvic Region Cease Their Work.

DR. A. W. CHASE'S NERVE PILLS.

When the child changes from girlhood to womanhood and again later in life when the organs of the pelvic region cease their work, there is a strain thrown upon the nervous system, that requires outside aid that there may be supplied a proper amount of additional strength and restive power. This Dr. A. W. Chase's Nerve Pills do to a certainty by their ability to supply to the nervous system and the organs affected, an amount of nerve strength and energy that enables them to accommodate themselves rapidly and easily to the changes taking place.

Mrs. Julia Rowland, of No. 264 Pearl St., Buffalo, writes:

"Both myself and daughter, aged 17, are deeply indebted to Dr. A. W. Chase and his Nerve Pills. They certainly are a grand tonic to the nerves. I used them about a year ago, to give me the strength and vitality to go through the ordeal that usually comes to woman at change of life, and found all the nervousness, crying spells and weakness disappear in a hurry. This led me to give them to my daughter about the time she began to have the endless trouble some girls do in early life, and the medicine acted equally as well with her. She grew strong and steady—the color became good—the languor and lassitude disappeared and she was able to go about her school duties as usual. I consider the Dr. A. W. Chase Nerve Pills unequalled as a nerve and general tonic in such cases and gladly recommend them to others who suffer in a similar manner." 50c a box at dealers or Dr. A. W. Chase Medicine Co., Buffalo, N. Y. Portrait and signature of A. W. Chase, M. D., on every package. For sale by H. P. Dunn & Co., Central Drug Store, Natl. Bank Block, Brainerd, Minn.

NEARLY SMOTHERED

Frank Thomelsen Has a Narrow Escape From Death Yesterday in Lateral Sewer "D".

Frank Thomelsen, the man who lays the sewer pipe for the Slipp-Gruenhagen Co., had a very narrow escape from being smothered to death yesterday while at work in lateral sewer "D". Mr. Thomelsen was cementing a joint in the bottom of the sewer about 11 feet deep when a large quantity of sand caved in completely covering him. Fortunately his head was covered only lightly and the men present with ready presence of mind succeeded in uncovering his head before he smothered. But his feet were pinioned fast between some heavy plank that caved in and the sewer pipe and they were unable to pull him out. Effort was then made to dig him out, but as fast as the sand was dug away from him more caved in and it was over three hours before the unfortunate man was extricated from his trying and painful position.

The first cave-in occurred at 11 o'clock and it was after 2 o'clock before Mr. Thomelsen was released. He was taken home, but is about today feeling not much the worse for his experience except being very sore.

Spring styles in photo-cards are especially neat and attractive. See them at Opsahl's. 292tf

Store your households good with D. M. Clark & Co.

Side Talks by the Office Boy.

What's in a name? A mule by any other name would kick as hard. I saw a funny thing the other day. A man had taken the Lampher label out of his hat and inserted another. The one inserted was out of a \$5.00 hat, or rather a hat that sells for \$5.00. Now the point I want to make is this: "The name 'Lampher' is just as good a name and is backed by just as good a reputation as any that ever went inside of a hat or any kind of a piece of merchandise. We sell lots and lots of John B. Stetson hats at four, five and six dollars, but that has nothing to do with Linnemann's \$3.00 hats. The old man's idea is to give a man a hat for three dollars that will look as well and wear as well as the general run of \$5.00 hats. He does not claim it is a \$5.00 hat. What he does claim is that it is as good a three dollar hat as is sold by any concern in the United States, if not better. If the customer referred to could make people believe it a \$5.00 hat by simply changing the label, and if people want to buy labels instead of hats, those labels would pay a splendid profit at 50c. Then a man could fit his head, his purse and his pride and still be \$2.50 ahead.

Sherlund will fix your water pipes. New spring line of wall paper at D. M. Clark & Co's. 241tf

Confronts the Grave.

Neglecting a cough means confronting the grave. Use Gloria Lung Balsam before it is too late. It is the one remedy which brings quick relief. It is made of honey and tar, and other healing balm, and is best for children. Sold by H. P. Dunn & Co. mwfwm

E. Mark Loses Heavily by Fire.

A disastrous fire at Princeton destroyed the fine barns of E. Mark, a brother of A. Mark of this city, together with 28 horses, two colts and a large quantity of grain, hay, carriages and harness. He carried \$2,500 insurance on the barn, the same amount on the horses, \$500 on his grain and hay and \$900 on the buggies and carriages, making his total insurance about \$6,400. He places his loss at between \$12,000 and \$15,000, which means a net loss of about \$7,000 or \$8,000.

Will Cure Consumption.

A. A. Herren, of Finch, Ark., writes, "Foley's Honey and Tar is the best preparation for coughs, colds and lung trouble. I know that it has cured consumption in the first stages." H. P. Dunn & Co. mwfwm

Have your spring photos taken by Opsahl.

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Who Told You?

Geo. West, president of the Liquor Dealers association of Brainerd, says over \$4,000 a week goes through the saloons in that city. That is \$208,000 a year—nearly a quarter of a million—and yet we are told Brainerd is hard up.—Aitkin Age.

Don't forget Opsahl makes frames to order. 292tf

Ten Weeks in a Hospital

Mr. Christ Schorr, of Phillips, Wis., writes: Gloria Tonic cured me completely of rheumatism. The hospital failed to do it. I was in it twice, once three weeks and another time seven weeks. Sold by H. P. Dunn & Co. mwfwm

Awnings! Awnings! Awnings! at D. M. Clark & Co's. 236tf

See Sherlund for sewer connections.

The Secret of Good Coffee

Even the best housekeepers cannot make a good cup of coffee without good material. Dirty, adulterated and queerly blended coffee such as unscrupulous dealers shovel over their counters won't do. But take the pure, clean, natural flavored **LION COFFEE**, the leader of all package coffees—the coffee that for over a quarter of a century has been daily welcomed in millions of homes—and you will make a drink fit for a king in this way:

HOW TO MAKE GOOD COFFEE.

Use **LION COFFEE**, because to get best results you must use the best coffee. Grind your **LION COFFEE** rather fine. Use 1/2 tablespoonful to each cup, and one extra for the pot. First mix it with a little cold water, enough to make a thick paste, and add white of an egg (if egg is to be used as a settler), then follow one of the following rules:

- 1st. **WITH BOILING WATER.** Add boiling water, and let it boil **THREE MINUTES ONLY.** Add a little cold water and set aside five minutes to settle. Serve promptly.
- 2d. **WITH COLD WATER.** Add your cold water to the paste and bring it to a boil. Then set aside, add a little cold water, and in five minutes it's ready to serve.
3. Don't let it stand more than ten minutes before serving.

DON'TS (Don't use water that has been boiled before.)

TWO WAYS TO SETTLE COFFEE.

- 1st. **With Eggs.** Use part of the white of an egg, mixing it with the ground **LION COFFEE** before boiling.
- 2d. **With Cold Water** instead of eggs. After boiling add a dash of cold water, and set aside for eight or ten minutes, then serve through a strainer.

Insist on getting a package of genuine LION COFFEE, prepare it according to this recipe and you will only use LION COFFEE in future. (Sold only in 1 lb. sealed packages.) (Lion-head on every package.) (Save these Lion-heads for valuable premiums.)

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DEVELOPING OF LANDS

How the Western Part Is Doing Boomed.

THRIFT IN SHORT GRASS COUNTRY

Lands Are Being Rapidly Taken and Broken Up—Most Buyers Paying Cash For Their Property—New Styles in Sod Houses—Handsome Buildings in Towns.

These are thrifty days for the short grass country in Kansas, writes the Goodland (Kan.) correspondent of the

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1:00 Brainerd	12:46
2:25 Merrillfield	11:27
2:40 Baber	11:12
2:52 Smiley	11:01
3:02 Poplar	10:50
3:10 Jenkins	10:40
3:11 Pine River	10:34
3:30 Milled	10:27
3:34 Backus	10:22
3:50 Handenack	10:07
4:22 Walzer	9:38
4:50 Kabeoka	9:12
4:59 Blackduck	9:07
5:02 Gaudry	8:52
5:13 Nary	8:42
5:50 Remidji	8:11
6:10 Miessepp	7:52
6:16 Partie	7:42
6:20 Farley	7:38
6:31 Tenetrick	7:27
7:50 Blackduck	7:10
7:55 Hovey Junction	6:55
7:59 Dexterville	6:49 A. M.
7:30 P. M. Northome	6:30 A. M.
7:10 P. M. Lv Hovey Jct.	Ar. A. M. 6:05
7:45 Ar. Kelliher	Lv. " 6:30

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houses. The portland cement cult has reached to the grass lands. The thrifty settlers put a coating of cement over the sod on the outside and have not only a very good imitation of a stone building, but one that fulfills all the qualifications of such a structure save that of permanence. A cemented sod house is the very essence of up to date-ness. Nor are the dwellers in these modest structures without the conveniences of the times. You can go twenty miles from town and step into a "soddy" and telephone to the county seat. A telephone on a sod wall is a combination that could be found nowhere else save in Kansas.

In the towns is also a new style of architecture. The town houses used to be built with no regard for the artistic. The new house of the prairie is a cottage—low roofed that it may not be shaken by the wind, with one or two large windows, perhaps with a strip of leaded glass to give it style, a generous porch and a handsome glass ornamented front door. A line of such dwellings is not only appropriate to its environment, but has a restful appearance. The newer streets of the western towns are models of good looks.

The old store buildings, however, with their high, square gables, remain. They are of all heights, all widths, with all sorts of awnings. They are uniform only in the unpainted brownish gray of their exteriors. Every little while a western town has a fire that sweeps it clean of most of these buildings, and in their places are built well proportioned brick structures that would be a credit to any community.

The kind of people coming into the northwest is different from that of the early boom period. They intend to make homes. In a shed of the principal livery stable at Colby a few days ago were 5,000 fruit trees ready for delivery to the citizens of Thomas county. One full car load of trees came to Goodland this spring, 8,000 of them. They will be planted on the prairies of the western tier of counties of the state.

"This is more trees than have ever come into northwest Kansas at one time," said a dealer. "The trouble with planting fruit trees has been that the folks did not know how to make them grow. Now they have found out. They have windmills by the hundred, and the water is always there." Out on the Dewey ranch are three rows of elms that make long lines up a hill leading to the house. A windmill is on the hill, and a reservoir holds the water. It is led by tiling down the hill to the trees, and they grow steadily.

Not much attempt is made to raise forest trees nowadays. The straggling tree claims show how fruitless is such an effort. The growth of cottonwoods on the bottomlands of the creeks is fairly successful, and here and there is a house surrounded by thrifty trees and hedges, but they are the exception. Irrigated gardens are frequent, and some of them are as fruitful as any that could be found on farms in the eastern part of the state. The people are learning how to do things.

Costly Fire at Chicago.
Chicago, May 17.—Fire which started from an explosion in the two-story brick annex of the D. R. Armstrong Varnish company's plant at 24 to 30 Ohio street destroyed the main structure, a six-story brick building, and the annex, causing a loss of \$150,000.

BASEBALL SCORES.

National League.
At Brooklyn, 7; Pittsburg, 9.
At Philadelphia, 8; St. Louis, 11.
At New York, 4; Chicago, 0.
American League.
At St. Louis, 2; New York, 3.
American Association.
At Milwaukee, 6; Toledo, 1—five innings; called on account of wet grounds.
At Kansas City, 7; Columbus, 6.

MARKET QUOTATIONS.

Minneapolis Wheat.
Minneapolis, May 16.—Wheat—May, \$1.15½; July, \$1.03½; Sept., 83½c. On track—No. 1 hard, \$1.17½. No. 1 Northern, \$1.15½; No. 2 Northern, \$1.06½ @ 1.10½.

Duluth Wheat and Flax.
Duluth, May 16.—Wheat—To arrive—No. 1 Northern, \$1.08. On track—No. 1 Northern, \$1.08; No. 2 Northern, \$1.03½; May, \$1.08; July, \$1.09, Sept., 85c. Flax—To arrive, on track, May and July, \$1.43; Sept., \$1.25.

St. Paul Union Stock Yards.
St. Paul, May 16.—Cattle—Good to choice steers, \$5.50 @ 6.00; common to fair, \$4.50 @ 5.25; good to choice cows and heifers, \$3.75 @ 4.75; veals, \$2.00 @ 4.25. Hogs—\$5.05 @ 5.30. Sheep—Good to choice yearlings, \$4.50 @ 5.50; good to choice native lambs, \$5.25 @ 6.00.

Chicago Union Stock Yards.
Chicago, May 16.—Cattle—Good to prime steers, \$5.65 @ 6.65; poor to medium, \$4.50 @ 5.50; stockers and feeders, \$2.75 @ 5.00; cows and heifers, \$3.00 @ 5.75; calves, \$3.00 @ 6.75. Hogs—Mixed and butchers, \$5.20 @ 5.45; good to choice heavy, \$5.35 @ 5.45; light, \$5.25 @ 5.45. Sheep—Good to choice wethers, shorn, \$4.60 @ 5.25; Western sheep, shorn, \$4.00 @ 5.25; native lambs, shorn, \$1.00 @ 6.50; Western, \$5.50 @ 7.50.

Chicago Grain and Provisions.
Chicago, May 16.—Wheat—May, 95c; July, 87½c; Sept., 80½c. Corn—May, 53c; July, 47½c; old, 45½c; Sept., 47½c; old, 47½c @ 47¾c; Dec., 44½c; old, 45½c. Oats—May, 31½c; July, 29½c; Sept., 28½c. Pork—May, \$12.37½; July, \$12.57½ @ 12.60; Sept., \$12.80. Flax—Cash, Northwestern, \$1.42; Southwestern, \$1.26; May, \$1.26. Butter—Creameries, 20 @ 22c; dairies, 18 @ 20c. Eggs—14½c. Poultry—Turkeys, 14 @ 15c; chickens, 13c; springs, per dozen, \$3.00 @ 6.50.

HAD TO ACCEPT RATES

SHIPPERS OF FRUIT ARE AT THE MERCY OF THE ARMOUR CAR LINES COMPANY.

HAS MONOPOLY OF TRAFFIC

CONCERN A PRIVATE ONE AND NOT SUBJECT TO INTERSTATE COMMERCE LAWS.

Washington, May 17.—Before the senate committee on interstate commerce, which is investigating railroad rates, President George R. Robbins of the Armour Car Lines company during the day admitted that the company had twenty or thirty exclusive contracts with railroads for fruit transportation privileges and acknowledged a monopoly of that traffic in parts of the West and South.

Wherever these exclusive contracts applied, he admitted, the producers and shippers of fruit had to accept the rates laid down by the Armours. He claimed that his company was a private one and therefore not subject to the interstate commerce laws.

Mr. Robbins was closely examined by the committee regarding the operations of the Armour interests.

These exclusive contracts with railroads, he said, were generally private contracts, though exhibited when requested. He asserted that the Armours do not get any advantages over other shippers in these cars.

Replying to Chairman Elkins the witness said that his company did not want to be subject to the interstate commerce laws.

"It seems," interjected Mr. Elkins, "that you have all the advantages and none of the responsibilities of common carriers."

According to the witness the Armours have 200 articles known as packinghouse products which are transported in Armour cars.

Mr. Robbins admitted that on roads where they had exclusive contracts like the Pere Marquette line, the roads could not engage in the shipment of the products covered in the contract in other cars.

Mr. Robbins denied that the Armours were interested in any of the fruit companies in California, or that the Armours had a monopoly of the transportation of California fruits, acknowledging, however, that his company had a monopoly of the fruit transportation in the Pere Marquette region and in Georgia and Florida.

Senator Clapp asked a number of questions as to the position of Mr. Robbins in acknowledging an absolute monopoly and yet withholding information as to their business and claiming immunity from the interstate commerce commission laws.

Mr. Robbins maintained that his position was justified.

C. W. Robinson, S. Ueber, Murray Carleton, W. P. Kennett, G. F. Mead and J. A. Barrett also testified.

CATTLE BUYERS IN COMBINE.

Grand Jury Investigating Report That They Fixed Prices.

Chicago, May 17.—An attempt was made at the night session of the federal grand jury, which is investigating the affairs of the beef packing industry, to show that the cattle buyers for the packing concerns and certain commission firms met each morning and agreed upon the prices to be paid for live stock during the day. Evidence along this line was sought from C. B. Van Norman, head of the Van Norman Commission company, and S. P. Ingerson of Rosenbaum Brothers, a commission concern.

LEAVE CHICAGO FOR THE SOUTH.

Many Northwestern Land Prospectors and Business Men on a Tour.

Chicago, May 17.—A special train with 250 land prospectors and business men from points in Minnesota, South Dakota, Iowa, Wisconsin, Indiana, Illinois, Michigan and Ohio left Chicago over the Illinois Central railway during the day on a tour of the South. The party will be entertained by the commercial clubs of Memphis, Vicksburg, New Orleans and other places.

Trial of William Williams.

St. Paul, May 17.—The trial of William Williams, charged with murdering John Keller at No. 1 Reid court on April 12, was continued in the district court before Judge Lewis Tuesday. Herbert S. Summer and John Gorman were selected to complete the jury and County Attorney T. R. Kane opened the trial with the statement of what the state would prove. Mrs. Emma Kline was the only witness to testify. She told of hearing the shooting.

Foster Succeeds Hemmenway.

Evansville, Ind., May 17.—Judge John H. Foster, Republican, nephew of former Secretary of State John W. Foster, was elected to congress during the day from the First district of Indiana. He will succeed James A. Hemmenway, recently elected United States senator.

Ocean Liner Aground.

New York, May 17.—A large steamship believed to be the Cunard liner Caronia, which sailed at 2 p. m. for Liverpool, was reported aground off Sandy Hook at 11 o'clock p. m. The ship was resting easily and she was in no apparent danger.

FOG POSTPONED BOAT RACE.

Vessels Unable to Start on Trip Across the Atlantic.

New York, May 17.—Eight of the eleven yachts which had been entered for the 3,000-mile race across the Atlantic ocean for the \$5,000 cup offered by the German emperor, lay snugly at anchor within the shelter of Sandy Hook Tuesday night, for the start of the race had been postponed until Wednesday because of the fog. A dense blanket of mist hung all day over the Hook and the sea outside where the start was to have been made and at nightfall there was nothing to indicate clearer weather for Wednesday. The smallest yacht in the fleet, the American schooner, Fleur de Lis, owned by Dr. L. Stimson of the New York Yacht club, had been run down by a scow in tow while the yacht was at anchor in the lower bay before daylight and so damaged that repairs were absolutely necessary before she could have started in the race. Dr. Stimson announced that he would be ready to start in the race.

All the yachts are expected to be at the starting line Wednesday.

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KILLED BY A COLORED MAN.

Chicago Boy Accidentally Shot Dead on the Street.

Chicago, May 17.—Enoch Carlson, eight years of age, was shot dead at night by a colored man, a former employee of the Peabody Coal company. This company has sustained an active part in the teamsters' strike. Two colored men were walking along Twenty-seventh street when some boys who were playing ball in an adjoining lot, hooted at them. One of the colored men drew a revolver and fired at the boys. Just as he did so the Carlson boy came around the corner and the bullet struck him in the left groin. He died while being taken to the hospital. The colored men escaped.

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TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

Robert J. Montague has been nominated for register at Crookston, Minn.

Ignace Paderewski, the pianist, has arrived at Liverpool from New York. He is still ill but it much better than when he embarked.

The American Shipbuilding company Tuesday closed contracts for three big freight steamers to come out in 1906, that will cost close to \$1,000,000.

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BOLD DIAMOND ROBBERY.

Chicago Jeweler Relieved of \$3,000 Worth of Goods.

Chicago, May 17.—By one of the boldest robberies committed in this city in recent years, four men at night secured from the jewelry store of T. D. Lande, 482 West Madison street, watches and diamonds valued in the aggregate at \$3,000.

One of the men entered the store and covered Lande with a revolver, while a second watched at the side entrance to the place and two others broke the front window with the handles of their revolvers, and went off with the trays of watches and diamonds. The street was filled with passers-by at the time of the robbery, and when one man shouted for the police the robbers threatened to kill him. The thieves escaped with their plunder, and without leaving the slightest clew to their identity.

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